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Country	Application Number	Filing Date	Priority Claimed
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U.S. Provisional Applications

U.S. Provisional Application No.	U.S. Filing Date
60/009,283	December 27, 1995

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U.S. Applications		Status		
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